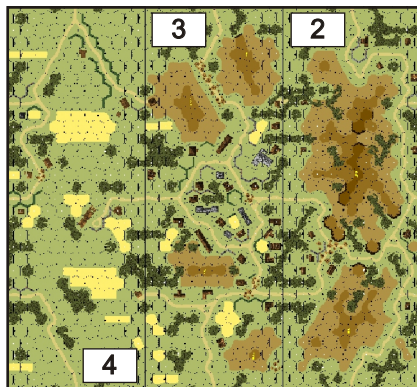


# Monkey Business

GS8

Battlefield:



**VICTORY CONDITIONS:** The Russians win by exiting  $\geq 17$  VP off the eastern map edge. Russian SW are worth 1 EVP each the 82mm is worth 3EVP. For every CVP the Germans suffer, reduce the Russian VP requirement by 1 VP.

## Scenario Rules:

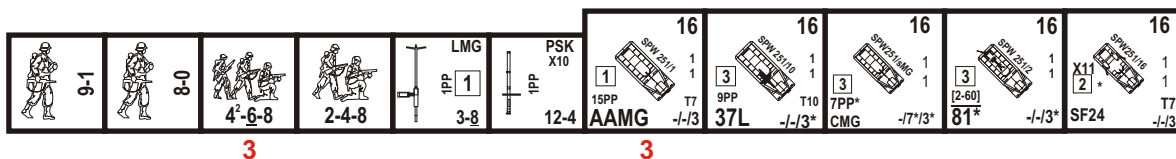
1. EC are moderate with a mild breeze blowing west. A +1 lv hindrance exists for the duration of the scenario.
2. Hills do not exist, treat as other terrain as presented in the hex at level 0. All buildings are ground level.
3. The Russians enter the game by air drop. The drop points must be pre-designated west of hexrow 3 on board 3. If the final drop point is determined randomly only boards 3 and 4 are used to decide the result.
4. The Germans may freely deploy all squads during setup. Panzerfaust are NA.

**GERMANS** Set Up First

**RUSSIANS** Move First



**Elements of the Armored Troop Carrier Battalion of the 73rd Panzer Grenadier Regiment: [ELR 4]** All Germans start as passengers. The Half tracks must start as a *non-motion* convoy on any road hex on board 3 heading in a North direction. *They may leave the convoy freely on turn one.* {SAN 3}



**Elements of the 5th Guards Parachute Brigade: [ELR 2]** Enter by Paradrop (see SSR3). {SAN 2}



**AFTERMATH:** The Russian plan to drop forces behind German lines was a complete disaster. They were landing in areas bristling with German weapons. Some of the planes seeing the disaster tried to turn and drop their passengers elsewhere but it didn't matter as the Russian paratroopers were finished. Only the Brigade commander was able to rally a group of men and hold out hoping for partisan help from the woods which never came. Eventually most of that group were either killed or captured. It would be the last major airborne operation the Russians would try in the war.



**WW2**

**Dudari Village in the Dnieper Loop, Sept. 24th 1943.** As Dusk started to fall Russian planes were spotted in the sky with there internal lights on, some planes even used their search lights to check the ground . One German NCO said; "They re up to some monkey business." His next words were; "They're Jumping!"